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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Mail Stop AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated July 18, 2003, please amend the present application as follows:

*He to enter me 1/20/04*  
Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.